

Southboro' May 9<sup>th</sup> 1774

To Dea<sup>n</sup> John Tracy Treasurer for Southborough. You are hereby ordered  
to pay Mr. Solomon Ward twenty three pounds six shillings and eight  
it being for his service in keeping school in Southborough in the year 1773

Baae Johnson } Select men  
Aaron Tracy }  
Elijah Bellows } for  
Solomon Newton } Southboro'

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March 4<sup>o</sup> 3<sup>o</sup> 1775

I have Rec'd the Contents of the within written Order  
in full I say Rec'd per me Solomon Ward

Southb<sup>r</sup> March 19<sup>th</sup> 1774

This may Certify whom it concerns that Mr  
Solomon Ward was hired to keep the Town  
School in said Southb<sup>r</sup> ten months beginning  
last Spring at 46/8 the yearly month

per son<sup>a</sup> Ward

Aaron Gray

Elijah Bell Colles

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£23.68

Southwell March 19<sup>th</sup> 1774

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Southborough March 13. <sup>th</sup> 1775

This may certify that we the Subscribers being chosen a Committee by the Town of Southborough to officiate a School Master, and accordingly have agreed with Solomon Ward to keep the School for said Town the Term of ten Months the year ensuing at 46/8 per Month upon condition he performs the Business of the School to our acceptance.

Seth Newton Committee  
Aaron Say for  
Elijah Brigham  
Southborough

This may Certify that I the Subscriber consent to the above agreement as witness my Hand

Solomon Ward



Opposite battle ground  
Under paved roadway we will often drive with  
Bulldozers & dozerblades & such we may  
Build roads here higher up the plateau but we will  
drive with dozerblades & bulldozers off roads etc roads or  
roads may built we will be pleased and all  
roads will be built all the roads off roads

bottoms will be  
and roads  
roads will be

Opposite river bed we will be soon with  
Bulldozers & dozerblades off roads etc all  
roads will be

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Southborough April 2<sup>d</sup> 1774

This may certify that we the Subscribers  
being chosen a Committee by the Town of  
Southborough to hire a School Master, and  
accordingly have agreed with Solomon Ward  
to keep the School for said Town the Term  
of Ten Months the year ensuing at 46/8  
per Month upon condition he performs the  
Business of the School to our acceptance

Committee  
Manasseh Stor<sup>r</sup> for  
Nathan Bridges } Southborough

This may certify that I the Subscriber consent  
to the above agreement and witness my  
Hand

Solomon Ward

Solomon Wards agreement  
with the School Committee 1774

To Deed John Lay Treasurer for Southboro  
you are hereby ordered to pay Solomon  
Ward twenty three pounds six shillings and  
eight pence it being for his Service in keeping  
~~School~~ according to the agreement between him and  
the School Committee in the Year 1774

Isaac Johnson } Select men  
William Collins } for  
David Newton } Southboro

February 15<sup>th</sup> 1776

I then recd. the contents of the within written Order  
in full I say recd. per me Solomon Ward

Southborough June 8: 1778

To m<sup>r</sup> Jonas Ball Treasurer for Southboro  
I<sup>r</sup> please to pay Solomon Ward forty  
three pounds ten Shillings for his  
Service in full, for keeping School  
in the year 1777.

William Culling) Committee  
Joshua Smith Select men  
Elijah Brigham) for  
Ezra Taylor) Southboror

Rec'd the Contents in full  
Dr Solomon Ward

John D. Scott

Southborough Febry 6<sup>th</sup> 1777

To Deacon John Say Treasurer for Southborough  
for you are directed to Pay to Elijah Brigham  
Three Pound Nineteen Shillings & one penny as a  
Committee man for the West End Squadron it being  
there proportion of money for Scouting it being for  
the year 1776 as Granted by the Town at their  
Annual Meeting in March 1776

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William Collins } Select men  
Aaron Say } for  
Nathan Bridges }  
Joshua Smith } Southborough

Received the Contents of the within order by me  
Elijah Brigham

Southboro the May 1777  
To W<sup>m</sup> Jonas Ball Treasurer for Southboro Sir Please  
to pay to Ezra Taylor Six pound Seven Shillings and  
Seven pence for the East End Squadron's proportion  
of the School money for the year 1776

£ 6:7:7:0

William Collier } Select men  
Seth Nepton } for  
Joshua Smith } Southboro

May 29<sup>th</sup> 1777

Recd contents in full

W: Ezra Taylor

Taylor

Southboro. April 4<sup>th</sup> 1777  
D. W. Jones Bolt Draper for Southboro  
Ld. Please to pay to David Newton three  
Pound two shillings & four pence  
Committe man to draw the money for  
the Southside Squadron for to maintain  
a School for the year 1776

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William fallin } elect men  
Aaron Gray } for  
Seth Newton } labor  
Elijah Brigham }

April 28 1777

Read the Contents of the Within  
order in full by me

Daniel Newton

David Wilson

Southborough April 9<sup>th</sup> 1776

To Dea: n John Fay Treasurer for the Town of  
Southborough you are hereby Ordered to pay  
Solomon Ward Twenty three pounds Six  
Shillings and eight pence it being for his  
Service in keeping School according to the  
agreement between him and the School  
Committee in the Year Dom: 1775

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William Collins } Selectmen  
Nathan Bridges } for  
Joshua Smith }  
Southborough

April 29<sup>th</sup> 1776

Then Rec'd the contents of the within written Order  
in full I say Rec'd per me Solomon Ward

To Wm Jones Ball Comptreasurer. Sptmr 22 1779

I<sup>r</sup> Please to pay to Mr John Am. Reed  
the sum of Six pounds fifteen shillings & pence  
the Balance of his Acc't for his Service for his  
Shipping short after the last end of the Year.

Joshua Smith Welder man

Elijah Brigham } Pottsmouth

Ezra Taylor

July 22<sup>d</sup> 1779

Rec'd the contents of the within Order  
forfull

J. Johnson

Price, New York

To W. Haltian Bridges Treasurer for Southborough  
or his Successor in Office Sir agreeable to Vote of the Town  
you are directed to pay to the Center Squadron five  
Pounds Twelve Shillings which Sum is their Squadron part  
of their School money for the last Years Schooling which  
Sum you are to pay Joshua Smith & his Receipt shall  
be both discharge for so much Joshua Smith

£ 5.12 -

Southborough Oct<sup>r</sup>. 5<sup>th</sup> 1781. Aschel Matthew

Mark Colling jun.

Recd. the Content Joshua Smith

} Committee for the  
Town to apportion  
the money & draw  
the same for the  
Squadron

*Order on the Great Lakes  
for hard Money £5.12<sup>7</sup>*

*over*

Southborough May 26. 1780

To m<sup>r</sup> Jonas Ball Treasurer for the Town of Southborough  
S<sup>r</sup> This is to desire and Order you to pay to Solomon  
Ward the sum of Six Hundred and Sixty pounds,  
it being his wages for keeping School the Term of  
ten months for said Town in the year above 1779.  
And in so doing his Receipt shall be your discharge  
for that sum.

Joshua Smith  
Nathan Bridges } Select men  
W<sup>m</sup> Constranck } for  
Elijah Brigham }  
Asahel Matthews } Southborough

Bind the Content of the Within  
Solomon Ward

John George

To Mr Jones Ball Treasurer for Southborow.  
Sir Please to pay Solomon Ward Eighty  
four Pounds for keeping School for  
the year 1778 & This Receipt Shall be your  
Discharge for so much

Southborough      John Setton      Select men  
April 16. 1779      Joshua Smith      for  
                        Ezra Taylor } Southborough

August 7<sup>th</sup>. 1779

Then see, the Contents of the within  
written Order in full I say see

Pr<sup>r</sup>me Solomon Ward

Ward Knight

Bethel, ought from ye 1<sup>st</sup> of 1772,  
Mr. John Ball Treasurer please to pay to Ezra  
Taylor sixteen pounds <sup>16/-</sup> eight shillings being the sum  
due to Joseph Nichols for Keeping School at the East  
End two months and three weeks and this shall be your  
Discharge for so much

William Ellin } Select men  
Joshua Smith } for  
Elijah Brigham } Smith bro  
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Sept<sup>r</sup> 2<sup>d</sup> 1778  
Recd the Contenents in full

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Rec'd from  
E Taylor

Southborough June 29<sup>th</sup> 1779  
I. m<sup>r</sup>. Jonas Ball Torafer for Southborough I. v<sup>r</sup> please to pay  
to m<sup>r</sup> Eph<sup>m</sup> Broad ~~Eighteen~~ Eighteen pounds in part for his service  
in Keeping School at the East end of said Town and this shall be  
your Discharge for so much

John Smith      } Selectmen  
Elijah Brignam    } for  
Ezra Taylor      } Southbr?

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Feb 28<sup>th</sup> 1785

To Mr. Mark Collins junr. Treasurer for Southborough  
Or his Successor in said Office I <sup>do</sup> <sup>hereby</sup> <sup>order</sup> to pay to  
Paul Kington or order four pounds being a part  
of the money belonging to the West End School  
Quadrant and his Recpt shall be your Discharge for  
so much

Elijah Kington      Paid my  
Ezra Taylor      } for  
                        } Southborough

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This may certify that I have received the  
contents of this within order Paul Brigham

Brigham  
over

to Clark Collins Junr a receiver for Southborough place  
to pay Amos Newton six Shillings and Ten pence  
for labour & Dan and materials found for the building the  
West Garrison School house in said town and his receipt  
shall be your discharge for so much

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I Selectmen  
Southborough Sept 26: 1786  
for  
Hezekiah Fay & Southbor.  
Jon: Chamberlay  
Edmund Chamberlain

A. Weston

Settled with the Treasurer

Received in full for  
the within order  
of me Amos Weston

Southbr<sup>o</sup> Feby 4<sup>th</sup> 27<sup>th</sup> 1786

To Mr. Jonas Ball Treasurer for said Town  
or his Successor in said office. I. please  
to pay to Ruben Tracy or order Twenty eight  
Shillings and his Receipt shall be your  
Discharge for so much:

£1-8-0

Ezra Taylor } Select men  
Will Montague } for  
Elijah Brigham } Southbor<sup>o</sup>

1785 The East End Squadron to Reuben Say Dr  
To 4 Cord of wood for School in  
Said Squadron a yf pr cord £1-9-0  
Reuben Say

Reuben Fay

~~Memorandum of the 1st meeting of the~~

To Mark Coffin Jun<sup>r</sup> Treasurer for Southborough or his  
Successor in said office please to pay to John Johnson for the  
Sum of Nineteen Shillings and one penny £: Mon<sup>s</sup>  
it being for Labours done and materials found for building  
the west End Squadron School house in said Town and  
his Receipt Shall be your discharge for so much

Sept<sup>r</sup> 26<sup>th</sup> 1786

~~£ 0-19-1-0~~

Jonathan Chamberlain  
Hezekiah Gray  
Edmund Chamberlain

Select men  
for  
Southboro

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Rec'd the within  
order per me

John Johnson

John Johnson

John Johnson

To Mark Collins Jun<sup>r</sup> Treasurer for Southborough  
or his Successor in said office please to pay to James  
Bellows the sum of ten pence £. Money it being for  
notes found for the west End Squadrer School house  
in said town and his Receipt shall be your discharge for  
so much

Sept<sup>r</sup>. 26<sup>th</sup>. 1736 John Chapman  
Stepchiah May Edmund Chamberlain  
for Southborough

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January 21. 1771

Recd the within  
order per me

James Fellowes

J. Fellowes

Southborough May 1<sup>st</sup> 1785. Then Recd of the Selectmen  
for said Town an Order for the sum of Twelve pounds twelve  
shillings one pence  $\frac{1}{2}$  in full of the money for to pay a School  
master with the Center Squadrant for the year 1784.

George Brighton Committee  
Eliza Toy.

be very certain that there is one of Mr. Johnson's  
house of 12: a big pumping school in the center of town  
in the borough

George Brigham

Elisha Fay

the borough April 29, 1866

211<sup>st</sup> page four lines one word for £16:00

Feb<sup>r</sup> 28<sup>th</sup> 1785

To Mark Collins junr. Treasurer for Southborough  
Or his Successor in said Office I<sup>r</sup> please to pay  
to Mark Collins junr. On order five pounds one shilling  
and four pence  $\frac{1}{2}$  being a part of the money Due to  
the West End School Quadrain for the year 1784 and  
his receipt shall be your Discharge for Compt<sup>r</sup>.  
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Ezra Custer Schut man  
Elijah Wright } for  
Joshua Smith } Southbor<sup>c</sup>

April 25<sup>th</sup> 1785 Recd the Contents of the within  
of Constable Bridge & gave the same to Mr. Collins Junr.

Collins  
and son

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and son

Southbor<sup>o</sup>. March y<sup>e</sup> 28<sup>th</sup> 1785.

To Mr. Jonas Ball Treasurer or your Successor in Paid office  
please to pay M<sup>r</sup> John Mixer J<sup>r</sup> Or his Order Eight pounds  
Eight Shillings and his Accts<sup>t</sup> Shall be your Discharge  
for so much.

March 29th 1785

Received three Pound three  
Shillings & seven pence  
on this Order of John Mixer

April 16 1785 Received  
one pound more on this  
order

May 25 1785 Received  
Two pounds more in part  
of this order of John Mixer Jr.

Ezra Taylor      Select men  
Elijah Wigham<sup>o</sup>      for  
Will<sup>l</sup> Gathank  
April Montague      Southbor<sup>o</sup>

April 16 1785  
Received the contents of  
the within Order in full  
18-8-0 of John Mixer Jr.

March 25<sup>th</sup> 1785

Mess<sup>rs</sup> William Onthank & Jonas Ball  
School Committee Debtors to  
John & Wixer Jun<sup>r</sup> to three Months  
service in keeping your Writing School  
and Boarding myself £8:8s.

C John & Wixer Jun<sup>r</sup>

May 31<sup>st</sup> 1784  
To Mr. Mark Collins Junr. Please to pay to Ezra  
Taylor Six pound Eleven Shillings for the purpose  
of Storing a School in the East Garrison in  
Southborough <sup>for the year 1784</sup> and his sheep. Shall be your Discharge  
for so much — — — — — Joshua Smith      } Select men  
£6. 11.      Elihu Brigham      } for  
Ezra Taylor      } Southbor.  
J. D.

Ezra Taylor  
Salisbury

Recd the Contents in full

P. Ezra Taylor

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May 4<sup>d</sup> 31 1784  
To Mr. Mark Collins Jr. Treasurer for the Town of  
Southbr<sup>o</sup> Or his Successor on said Office Please  
pay to Cap<sup>t</sup> Seth Newton five pound nine  
Shillings & four pence being the proportion of  
the South Side Squader for the purpose of keeping  
~~a~~  
in said Squader for the year 1783.

£5-9-4

Ezra Taylor      } Select men  
Joshua Smith      } for  
Jonas Ball        } Southbr<sup>o</sup>

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Southborough Oct<sup>r</sup> 5<sup>th</sup> 1781

To Mr. Mark Collins just Treasurer for the Town  
of Southborough. Sir this is to desire and Order  
you to pay to Solomon Ward the sum of Ten  
pounds fifteen Shillings and one penny two  
Farthings, it being the remainder of his wages  
for keeping School the Term of ten Months  
for said Town in the Year Dom. 1781 and  
in so doing his Receipt shall be your discharge  
for said sum

Foras M. { Select Men  
Elijah Brighouse  
Willm Cuthbert } for  
Southborough

Oct 28<sup>th</sup> 1785  
Then recd. the Content of the within  
written Order in full I say  
Rec'd per me Solomon Ward

Solomon Ward  
Collector

Feby 21. 1783

Then Rec<sup>d</sup> of m<sup>r</sup> Nathan Bridges Treasurer for  
the Town of Southborough the Sum of Ten pounds  
thirteen Shillings three pence two Farthings in part  
of pay for keeping School for saie Town in the year  
(A.D. 1781 I say Rec<sup>d</sup> p<sup>r</sup> me Solomon Ward)

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Receipt £10:13:3-2

April 7<sup>th</sup> 1781

Then Rec'd of Mr. Nathan Bridges Treasurer for  
the Town of Southborough the sum of one hundred  
and eighty pounds in part of pay for keeping School  
for said Town in the year A.D. 1780 Recd. I say  
£180 - 0 - 0

Wm. Solomon Ward

Shool master words Receipt

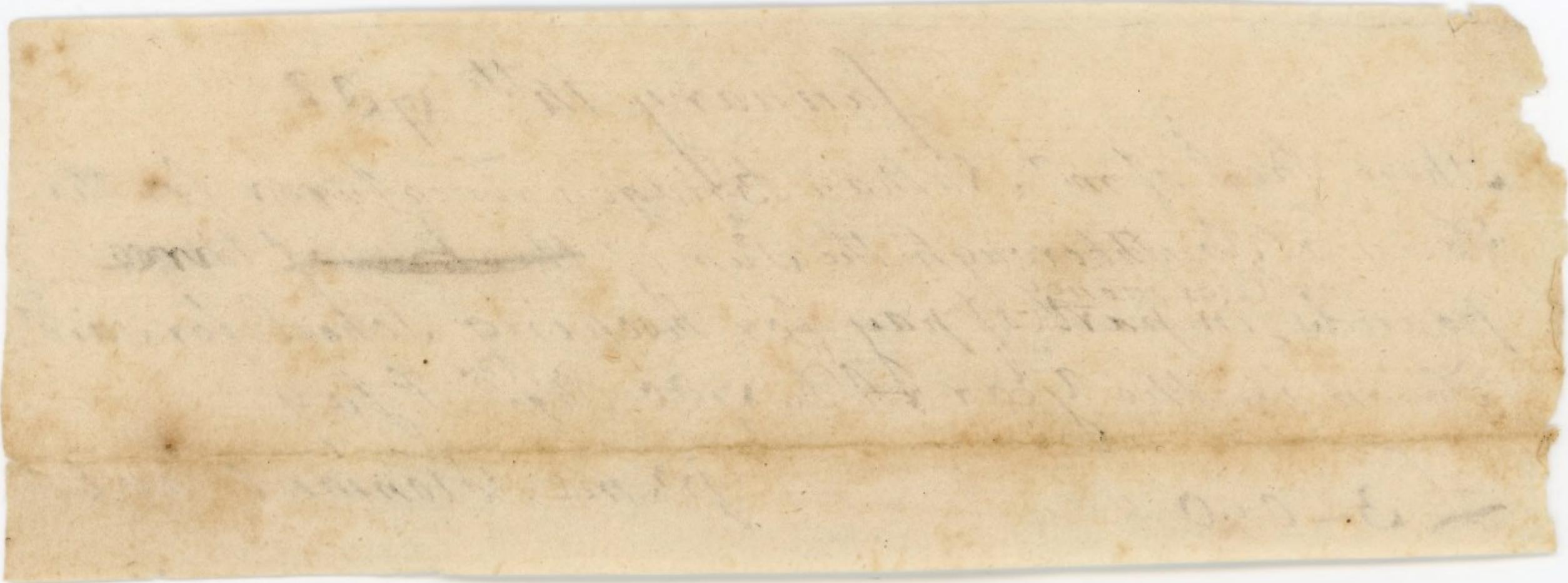
Shool master words Receipt

January 14<sup>th</sup> 1782

Ihen Recd of m<sup>r</sup> Nathan Bridges Treasurer for the  
Town of Southborough the Sum of ~~the sum of~~ three  
pounds, in part of pay for keeping School for said  
Town in the year A.D. 1780 Recd J. Fay

£3-00

Pr: me Solomon Ward



Southborough Decem<sup>r</sup> 27<sup>th</sup> 1781

To Mr<sup>r</sup> Nathan Bridges Treasurer for the  
Town of Southborough - I. this is to desire  
and Order you to pay to Solomon Ward the sum  
of Twelve pounds it being his wages for  
keeping School for said Town the term of  
Five Months in the year AD. 1780 and in  
so doing his Receipt shall be your Discharge  
for said Sum will in Consideration of Select men

£ 12.00.0

Asahel Mathews  
Mark Collier Jr.

} Southborough

April 9<sup>th</sup> 1780

Then Recd three pounds in part of the within  
written Order I say Recd. pr<sup>e</sup> me Solomon Ward.

Febry 21. 1783.

Then Recd. the Contents of the within  
written Order in full I say recd. pr<sup>e</sup>  
L:12:0:0 me Solomon Ward